Overview of FY 2010 Recommended Budget Bay County, Michigan

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2010 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES COUNTY OF BAY

Quality Taxpayer Services

Strong Financial Management

A Productive Workforce

An Improving Quality of Life

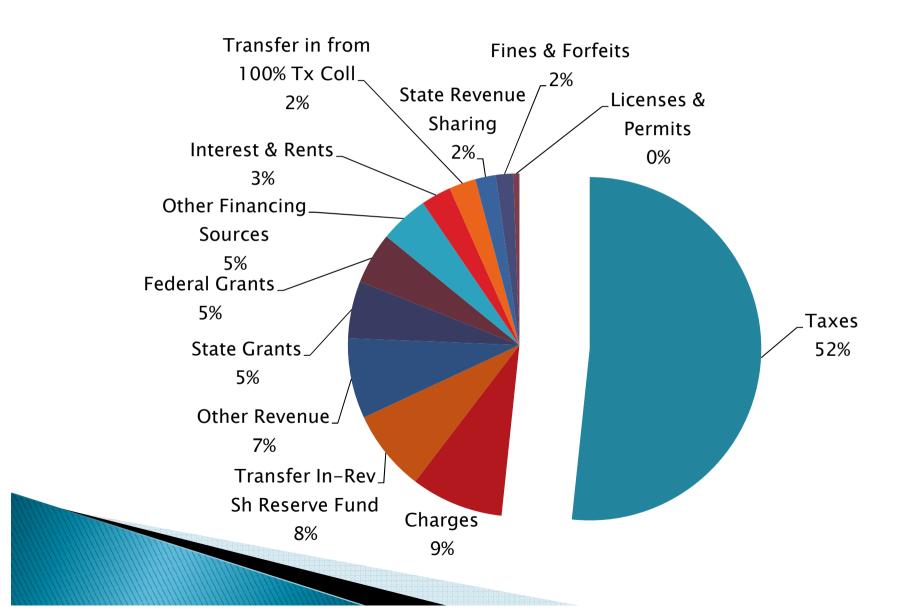
Excellent Communication

2010 Budget Highlights

A balanced budget was submitted by the statutory deadline

Total County
Revenue for all
funds total \$119.0
million

Total County
Revenue for the
General Fund totals
\$33.7 million



The levied tax rate (5.7257 mills) for general fund operations will not increase.

The county's tax base, as measured by "total county taxable value," is projected to increase by \$23 million, from \$3.152 billion in 2008 to \$3.175 billion, a .79% increase

New construction in 2009 increased taxable property values by \$68.2 million

The budget for the county's revenue from taxable values for real and personal property includes a net 0% increase/decrease over the 2008 taxable value

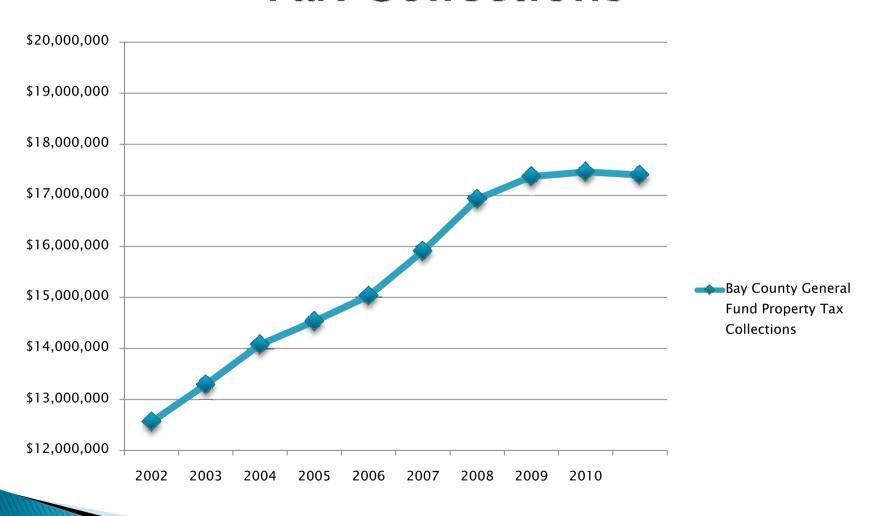
2010 - General Fund Revenue, Property Tax Revenues

Total property tax revenues for the General Fund are projected to equal \$17.4 million, which represents approximately 52% of the overall budget

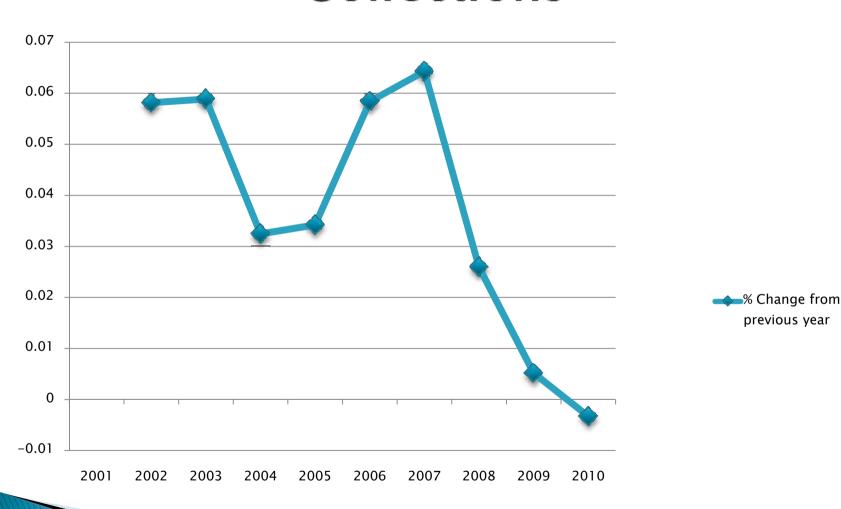
Bay County General Fund Property Tax Collections

Year	Total Taxes		% Change from previous year
2001	\$12,562,584	(Actual)	
2002	\$13,292,843	(Actual)	5.81%
2003	\$14,075,442	(Actual)	5.89%
2004	\$14,532,072	(Actual)	3.24%
2005	\$15,028,959	(Actual)	3.42%
2006	\$15,906,633	(Actual)	5.84%
2007	\$16,929,350	(Actual)	6.43%
2008	\$17,368,314	(Actual)	2.59%
2009	\$17,457,665	(Adopted)	0.51%
2010	¢47.400.005	(Executive	0.220/
2010	\$17,400,035	Recommended)	-0.33%

Bay County General Fund Property Tax Collections



General Fund Property Tax Collections



\$853,431 - 2010 Transfer to the General Fund from the (DTF) a 14.4% decrease from the 2009 transfer of \$997,375



The reduced transfer from DTF allows for a 20% reserve to ensure the annual delinquent tax distribution to the tax units

2010 Charges for Services remain status quo except for the following:

The Community
Center Fees have
been increased to
account for the
replacement of a
new wooden floor

Register of
Deeds
projecting a
decrease of
\$60,000 (32%)
in Transfer Tax
Stamps

Probate Court
Cost Fees
decreased
\$12,000
(18%) due to
decreased
number of
fines

The Civic Arena
Food &
Merchandise Sales
decreased \$27,000
(18%) based on
current year
projections

Fines and Forfeits – Revenue Decreasing in District Court

Bond
Forfeitures
and Costs
decreased
\$25,000 (50%)

Ordinance
Fines and
Cost
decreased
\$85,000 (41%)

Statute Cost decreased \$260,000 (39%)

State Revenue Sharing accounts for a Total of 10% of the County's Revenue Sources

State Revenue Sharing Payments (2%)

State Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund (8%)

In 2010 Bay County will withdraw the balance in the Revenue Sharing Reserve Fund & start receiving payments from the State

\$338,849 - State Payment

\$1,874,454 - Reserve Fund

2010 Revenue Sharing totals \$2,213,308, which is \$288,392 greater that the FY2009 transfer.

Federal Grants

- 2010 Federal Grants decreased by 13% from 2009
- Homeland Security decreased by \$234,000 (47%) from 2009

State Grants

- 2010 State Grants decreased by 5% from 2009
- Probate Family
 Dependency Grant
 decreased by
 \$22,000 (48%)
 from 2009
- County Survey
 Remonumentation
 decreased by
 \$60,000 (43%)
 from 2009

Other Revenue

- Election revenue eliminated from the Schools, Townships, Cities
 2009 total of \$49,500
- New Road Patrol agreement with Auburn - \$52,000
- Decrease in Sheriff
 Pay Telephone of
 \$27,000 (19%)

Investment Interest Income & Other Financing Sources

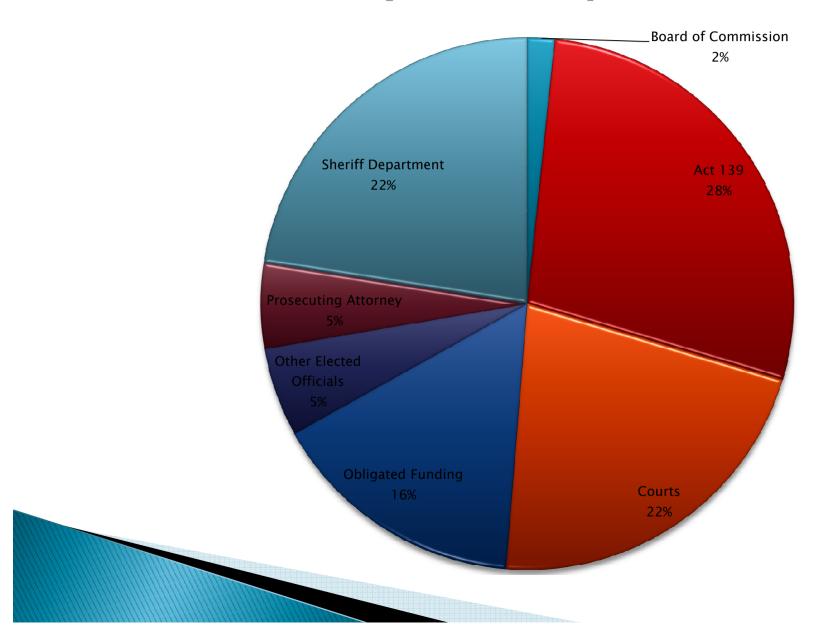
Investment Interest decreased by \$151,000 (49%) - Interest Rates extremely low

FY2000 – Investment Income = \$1 million

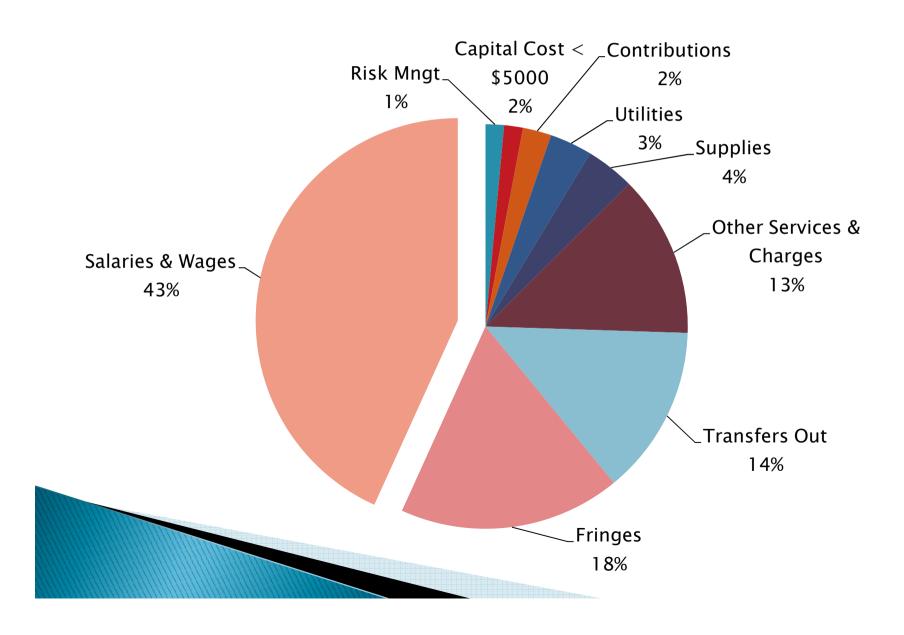
FY2010 - Investment Income = \$155,000

2010 Budget includes a one-time transfer from the Building Authority Fund - Mental Health Group Homes Paid off in November 2010 - Remaining Fund Balance Transfer of - \$726,000

2009 Adopted Expenditures



2010 - General Fund Expenditures



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Overall general fund expenditures will decrease by 1.3% (\$429,248) from the projected FY 2009 adjusted budget, from \$34.0 million to \$33.6 million

Salaries & Fringes will decrease by \$226 thousand (1.1%) to \$20.5 million, over the FY2009 budget levels of \$20.7 million.

Health Insurance includes a projected increase of 8.9% (\$235,000)

2010 - General Fund Expenditures

- VEBA contributions have been eliminated from the budget for the General Group Only (\$318,000)
- VEBA contributions remain at 4% for the Sheriff Group Only \$171,000
- The Retirement System includes a 4% employee contribution (paid by the employer) and an additional 1% employer contribution \$499,000

2010 - General Fund Expenditures Retirement System

- As of December 31, 2008 the General Group in the retirement system has a funded ratio of 122.5%, as a result, no employer contributions to the pension system are required for 2009
- As of December 31, 2008 the Sheriff Group in the retirement system has a funded ratio of 138.3%, as a result, no employer contributions to the pension system are required for 2009
- The projected 2010 budget includes a 1% employer contribution for the General County group and a 0% employer contribution of the Sheriff Group

2010 - General Fund Expenditures Cont. Technology

- General Fund investment in computer hardware has \$20,000 budgeted for contingency and \$12,900 is budgeted for department requests. \$20,000 is budgeted for disk drivers for Cherry Lan expansion (Prosecutor and Probate modules).
- The budgeted computer software expense has \$20,000 for contingency and \$1,400 of software requests from departments, \$24,985 Equalization property-based net system, \$25,000 for Clerk's office record retention system and \$10,600 for miscellaneous software for Region 3-LETPP 2008-2010.
- \$15,000 is included for further Web Page expansion.

2010 - General Fund Buildings & Grounds/Capital Expenditures

- An additional \$381,435 in maintenance and capital expenditures, exclusive of technology purchases, are budgeted in the General Fund. These funds will support:
 - 1. \$85,000 for road patrol vehicles, \$30,000 to replace 17 year old 4x4 with plow and \$10,000 for used vehicle for ISD
 - 2. \$61,135 in ongoing maintenance of existing county facilities will continue, based on our rolling five-year preventive maintenance investment strategy

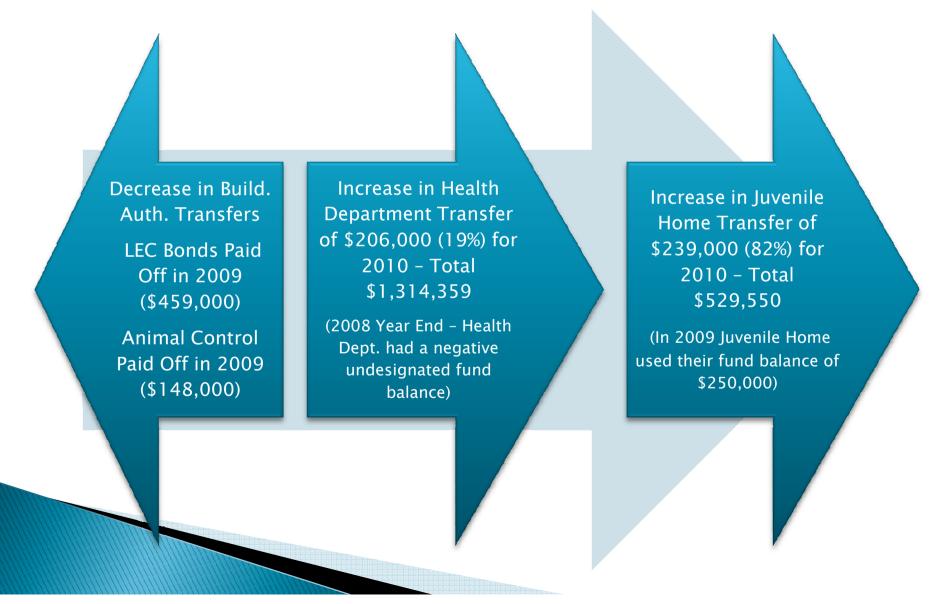
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- 3. \$31,600 for Region 3 SHSGP (426.18), LETPP (426.19) grant purchases and (426.20) Citizen Corp Council for year 2007
- 4. \$36,000 for replacing the wooden floor in the Community Center, \$40,000 to replace chiller in County Building, \$45,000 LEC parking lot repair, \$8,850 for 6 additional campgrounds at Pinconning Park, \$10,000 for Civic Arena to install Zamboni doors, \$19,200 to install energy efficient lights at the Civic Arena and \$4,650 for new carpet at the Civic Arena.

Net FY 2010 General Fund Spending Selected Departments

\$5,608,237
\$2,170,173
\$1,619,821
\$1,175,528
\$1,039,458
\$ 490,740
\$ 374,920
\$ 106,898
\$ 135,191

2010 - General Fund Expenditures Cont. Transfers Out to Other Funds



2010 General Fund – Contributions

Continued
financial support
(\$50,000) to Bay
Future for
county-wide
economic
development
efforts

An additional \$25,000 is included for a specific business expansion/attraction effort

Bay Arenac
Behavioral Health
Authority will
continue to
receive an
appropriation of
\$682,242

2010 General Fund Balance & Budget Stabilization Fund (Unreserved & Undesignated)

As of January 2009, balance equals \$6.6 million

An increase of \$2,180,789 or 48.7% from the 2007 year end balance.

The combined fund balance equals 19.8% of the proposed 2010 budget.

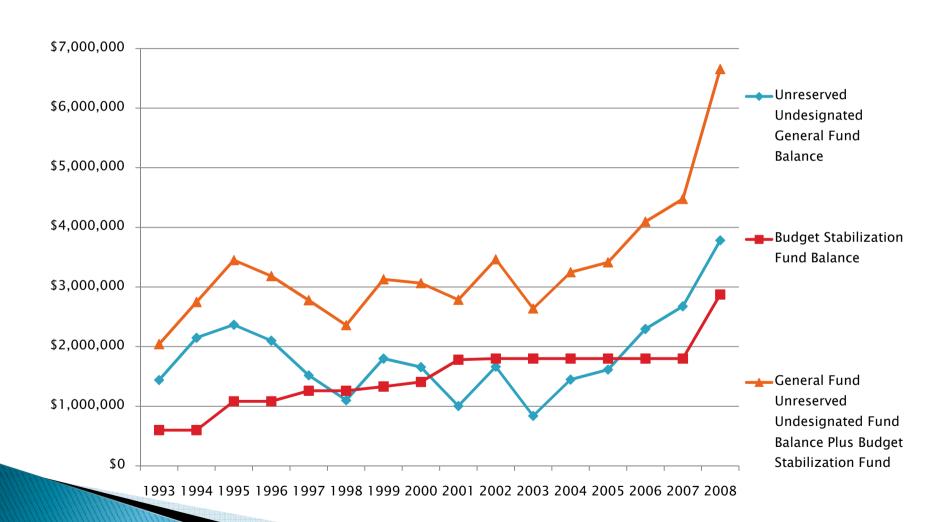
General & Budget Stabilization Fund Balances

Year	Unreserved Undesignated General Fund Balance	Budget Stabilization Fund Balance	General Fund Unreserved Undesignated Fund Balance Plus Budget Stabilization Fund	Total General Fund Fund Balance (Deficit)
1993	\$1,440,581	\$600,000	\$2,040,581	\$2,342,549
1994	\$2,148,256	\$600,000	\$2,748,256	\$2,957,715
1995	\$2,367,262	\$1,082,581	\$3,449,843	\$3,898,939
1996	\$2,099,386	\$1,082,581	\$3,181,967	\$3,876,410
1997	\$1,518,013	\$1,259,205	\$2,777,218	\$3,971,284
1998	\$1,100,013	\$1,259,205	\$2,359,218	\$3,535,398
1999	\$1,798,631	\$1,330,767	\$3,129,398	\$4,355,088
2000	\$1,656,705	\$1,406,595	\$3,063,300	\$4,629,032

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2001	\$1,004,240	\$1,780,771	\$2,785,011	\$4,608,777
2002	\$1,663,807	\$1,799,590	\$3,463,397	\$4,994,360
2003	\$838,984	\$1,799,590	\$2,638,574	\$3,864,261
2004	\$1,447,577	\$1,799,590	\$3,247,167	\$4,298,271
2005	\$1,614,446	\$1,799,590	\$3,414,036	\$5,040,622
2006	\$2,296,325	\$1,799,590	\$4,095,915	\$5,457,172
2007	\$2,676,734	\$1,799,590	\$4,476,324	\$6,370,226
2008	\$3,782,092	\$2,873,125	\$6,655,217	\$7,295,186

General & Budget Stabilization Fund Balances



2009 Adopted Expenditures (without Obligated Funding)

